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IMMIGRATION TEST

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made to secure a remedial enactment before the adjournment of congress.

It is frankly confessed that any suggestion of changing the application of the literacy test will meet with considerable opposition in the house. It may be found impossible to secure action there. Present indications are that much time will elapse before Hawaii is excepted from the new provisions. In fact, friends of the correction are not now hopeful of success.

Dillingham Tells Story

The failure to except Hawaii from the stipulations contained in the new law is illustrative of the loose methods sometimes employed in legislation. The story was related to the Star-Bulletin correspondent by Senator Dillingham, who framed the original measure. It is:

The Dillingham immigration bill made the educational test not applicable to Hawaii. He then realized that as the bringing in of Chinese and Japanese coolies was otherwise prohibited it became essential to secure labor elsewhere. Just before the bill reached a vote in the senate a substitute for the educational requirement was proposed by Senator Simmons. Mr. Dillingham leaped to his feet, as he had never seen the substitute and knew nothing about it.

Senator Lodge was sitting near and called to Mr. Dillingham, saying he had carefully read the Simmons amendment and it was all right. He told Mr. Dillingham to let it go. Later, it was discovered that no exception had been made of Hawaii. Mr. Simmons said he had intended to include the necessary phrase, but forgot it.

Senators Dillingham, Lodge and Simmons all requested the house committee on immigration to make a change in the educational test clause and except Hawaii. Chairman Burnett took the matter up and gave hearings, which were attended by representatives of Hawaiian interests.

It was subsequently determined by the house committee to accept the Simmons amendment as it stood. The matter was thus barred from discussion of modification in conference. The rules prohibit consideration of any feature not in dispute between the two branches of Congress. It thus followed that although other sections of the bill were re-written and whittled into compromise shape the educational test paragraph remained precisely as drafted by Mr. Simmons.

The situation in Hawaii was fully explained to Representative Burnett by Senators Lodge and Dillingham, but he was not conversant with matters in that Territory. His answer was that if the homestead laws were amended it would be possible to secure desirable immigrants for Hawaii and the necessity for bringing in illiterates would be removed. He could not be made to realize that a large proportion of the productive wealth is located in the output of sugar cane and high-grade labor was not available for its cultivation.

Senator Dillingham said a corrective bill would be prepared at once and persistently urged, with the hope that it might become a law before the ad-

journalment of this session, and before any serious injury was inflicted upon the cane growers of Hawaii.

Test Modified.

A split was made in the educational test. It was so modified that the entering alien must only be able to read in the language of his country. He is not required to write.

A summary of the conference report on the immigration measure is made by the managers on the part of the house. This summary says:

The managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the Senate bill (S. 3175) regulating the immigration of aliens, submit the following detailed statement in explanation of the effect agreed upon and recommended in the conference report:

The Senate having disagreed to the entire House amendment, which in its turn had stricken out the entire Senate bill, the whole subject of immigration came before the conference committee.

The bill as it passed the House contained no features except the literacy test. The Senate bill contemplated many changes in the law and an illiteracy test substantially similar to that proposed in the House, the principal difference being that the Senate included "writing" in its test and differed somewhat from the House as to the admissibility of illiterate relatives of qualified immigrants. On all substantial matters of difference between the Senate and the House touching the illiteracy test the Senate receded.

The principal changes in existing law proposed by the Senate to which the managers on the part of the House agreed are as follows:

First. An increase of the head tax from \$4 to \$6 per alien.

Second. The exclusion of alien not eligible for naturalization.

Third. Making it permissible for the Secretary of Commerce and Labor to decide beforehand as to the necessity of importing such skilled contract labor as is now admissible under the existing contract labor law.

Fourth. Providing more severe penalties for transportation lines which violate the law against advertising for immigrants and which bring to the United States aliens who are ineligible to enter.

Fifth. Providing for matrons, inspectors, and surgeons on immigrant ships at the discretion of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Sixth. Providing machinery for compelling the attendance and testimony of witnesses before the immigration authorities when required.

Seventh. Providing for the deportation of aliens who become criminals within three years subsequent to entry.

Eighth. Providing for interior immigrant stations.

Ninth. Providing against the illegal entry of seamen and stowaways.

Tenth. Permitting aliens to be represented by counsel in the case of appeals from the decisions of boards of special inquiry.

Eleventh. Providing experts in lunacy at large ports of entry.

Twelfth. A definition of the meaning of the word "alien" where it appears in the bill.

A provision was added in conference requiring the production of penal certificates in certain cases for the purposes of facilitating the execution of that part of the Senate bill and of the

present law which relates to the exclusion of criminals.

JOHN L. BURNETT,
AUGUSTUS P. GARDNETT,
Managers on the part of the House.

HEAVY BUSINESS IN STRONG MARKET

By far the heaviest business for any day since the depression began the end of last year is recorded on today's stock sheet. On the whole, the market shows strength. The only decline in sugar stocks is another one of an eighth point in Oahu, making a total decline of three-eighths in about a week. Hilo railroad common is down a quarter point in considerable blocks. McBryde five per cents have sloughed to the tune of 2.50. On the other hand, Pineapple has advanced a quarter point and Telephone five a half point, while Pioneer and Honokaa in the sugar list and Mutual Telephone and Pahang Rubber in the miscellaneons are unchanged.

Of Hilo Railroad common 100 and 250 shares at 6.75 with 15 at 7 between, were reported. Other recess sales were 40 and 100 shares Pahang Rubber at 20.12 1-2; 100 and 110 Pineapple at 44.50 and 30, 200 and 10 at 44.75; 400 and 100 Honokaa at 7.62 1-2; 15 Pioneer at 25.87 1-2; 50 Mutual Telephone at 23.25; 20000 Mutual Telephone sixes at 104; 23000 McBryde fives at 87.75.

On the board 325 shares of Oahu in nine unequal lots sold at 23, and 233 shares of Pioneer at 26.87 1-2.

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ALREADY AT WORK ON FOLLOW-UP CAMPAIGN

The important thing before the religious and social workers of the city now," said one of the local leaders of the Men and Religion Forward Movement at a meeting held in Central Union Church last evening. "Is the speedy planning for the following-up of the meetings and institutes which have been held in this city during the past week."

In recognition of this fact the Central Union Church has already got under way and voted last evening to ask the standing committee, the official body of that church, to appoint a special committee chosen from the members of the congregation, to decide which of the recommendations which were presented by Fred B. Smith and Raymond Robins at the conservation congress held yesterday afternoon, should be immediately undertaken. Following a short prayer meeting, the standing committee appointed the following committee to act in cooperation with Dr. Doremus Scudder and A. A. Ebersole: Professor A. F. Griffiths, J. E. Higgins, James A. Rath, Paul Super, E. T. Chase and Vaughan MacCaughy. This committee will meet this evening at the church to begin its work.

It is understood that the other churches which have taken an active part in the Men and Religion Forward Movement are making similar plans for the furtherance of the work and that the social and religious organizations of the city will begin at once to broaden their scope of work and enlarge their activities. A number of the local workers have emphasized the need of greater cooperation among the institutions of the city which are now engaged in social work. The outcome of the Christian Extension Movement last year was a closer cooperation of the churches expressed in the Inter-Church Federation, and it appears likely that the outcome of this campaign will be a greater degree of cooperation between the social institutions, strengthening their work at some points and preventing duplication and overlapping at others.

BY AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION NO. 13.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, that the following sum amounting to Twenty-six Hundred and Fifty-three 64-100 Dollars (\$2653.64) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Road Tax Special Deposit Fund, of the Treasury of the City and County of Honolulu, against the District of Honolulu, to be expended on Road Work as follows:

Asphalt Macadam, Maunakea Street \$423.29
Repairs Various Roads, Kaimuki District 1,000.00
Repairs Nuuanu (Dowsett Co. property) 1000.00
Repairs King Street (From Nuuanu street to Alakea street) 221.35
Presented by Supervisor
WM. H. McCLELLAN.
Honolulu, January 29, 1913.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu held on Wednesday, January 29, 1913, the foregoing Resolution was passed on First Reading and ordered to print on the following vote of said Board:

Ayes: Cox, Hardesty, Markham, McClellan, Pacheco, Petrie, Wolters. Total, 7.

Noes: None.
D. KALAUOKALANI, JR.,
City and County Clerk.
5457-31.

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NOAH G. FREITAS,
5457-31.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, FIRST Circuit, Territory of Hawaii. In Probate—At Chambers, No. 4499. In the matter of the Estate of Joseph R. Mills, deceased. Order of Notice of Petition for Allowance of Accounts, Determining Trust and Distributing the Estate.

On Reading and Filing the Petition and accounts of Hawaiian Trust Company, Limited, Administrator of the Estate of Joseph R. Mills, deceased, wherein petitioner asks to be allowed \$634.37 and charged with \$849.69, and asks that the same be examined and approved, and that a final order be made of Distribution of the remaining property to the persons thereto entitled and discharging petitioner and sureties from all further responsibility herein:

It is Ordered, that Monday, the 10th day of March, A. D. 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m., before the Judge presiding at Chambers of said Court at his Court Room in the old Y. M. C. A. building, in Honolulu, County of Honolulu, be and the same hereby is appointed the time and place for hearing said petition and accounts, and that all persons interested may then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted. By the court
A. K. AONA,
Clerk.

Dated the 29th day of January, 1913.
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